# **MEETING OF THE**

# PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS

Thursday, May 11, 2023, 9:30 A.M. Commissioners' Hearing Room 7th Floor, William B. Travis Building

Project No. 54446 - Open Meeting Agenda items without an associated control number. Project No. 54447 - Work Session Agenda items without an associated control number.

# **AGENDA**

Items to be taken up without discussion: 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, and 23. Items that will not be taken up: N/A

1. Public comment for matters not specifically posted on this agenda.

### WATER

- 2. Docket No. 51646 Application of Waters of Vista Ranch Water Supply Corporation and Aqua Water Supply Corporation for Sale, Transfer, or Merger of Facilities and Certificate Rights in Fayette County. (Final Order) John Kelly
- 3. Docket No. 53561 Application of Aqua Texas, Inc. to Amend Its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity in Henderson County. (Final Order) Abbey Jones
- 4. Docket No. 54231 Western Texas, LLC's Appeal of the Cost of Obtaining Service from South Ellis County Water Supply Corporation. (Preliminary Order) Grace Lager
- 5. Docket No. 54291 Application of CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC for Temporary Rates for Marion J. Smith DBA Smith Management Services, a Nonfunctioning Utility. (Final Order) Alex Scheifler
- 6. Docket No. 54420 Petition of Johnson County Special Utility District for a Cease and Desist Order Against City of Rio Vista. (Preliminary Order) Lori Patrick
- 7. Docket No. 54525 Rodney J. Hutyra's Appeal of the Cost of Obtaining Service from Bold Springs Water Supply Corporation. (Preliminary Order) Grace Lager
- 8. Docket No. 54565 Application of CSWR-Texas Utility Operating Company, LLC for Authority to Change Rates. (Preliminary Order) Austin Spraetz
- 9. Project No. 54932 Review of 16 TAC § 24.101 Water Rate Appeals. (Proposal for Publication) David Smeltzer and Iliana DeLaFuente

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10. Discussion and possible action regarding implementation of state legislation affecting water and sewer companies, current and projected rulemakings and other projects, comments to other state agencies, and Commission priorities.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

- 11. Project No. 50796 Review of TUSF Rate. (Discussion and possible action with respect to decreasing the TUSF rate). Jay Stone
- 12. Discussion and possible action regarding implementation of state and federal legislation affecting telecommunications markets, current and projected rulemakings and other projects, comments to other state and federal agencies, and Commission priorities.

## **ELECTRIC**

- 13. Docket No. 53766; SOAH Docket No. 473-23-02393 Application of Southwestern Public Service Company for Authority to Implement a Net Surcharge Associated with Docket No. 51802. (Final Order) Austin Spraetz
- 14. Docket No. 54507 Commission Staff's Petition to Set 2023 Wholesale Transmission Service Charges for the Electric Reliability Council of Texas, Inc. (Final Order) Ariadna Garcia
- 15. Docket No. 54570 Compliance Filing of Entergy Texas, Inc. for Final Reconciliation of System Restoration Charges and Storm Cost Offset Charges and Associated Refund Under Schedule SRC. (Final Order) Cheri Hasz
- 16. Docket No. 54605; SOAH Docket No. 473-23-16156 Application of El Paso Electric Company to Amend Its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity Regarding Generating unit 6 at the Newman Generating Station. (Discussion and possible action, including Preliminary Order) David Hrncir
- 17. Docket No. 54659 Application of El Paso Electric Company for Approval of a Generation Cost Recovery Rider Related to Newman Unit 6. (Preliminary Order) David Hrncir
- 18. Docket No. 54824; SOAH Docket No. 473-23-16391 Application of AEP Texas Inc. to Amend Its Distribution Cost Recovery Factor and Implement Rider Mobile Temporary Emergency Electric Energy Facilities. (Preliminary Order) David Hrncir
- 19. Project No. 51879 Information Related to the Western Energy Imbalance Market. (Discussion and possible action)
- 20. Project No. 52373 Review of Wholesale Electric Market Design. (Discussion and possible action)

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- 21. Project No. 53298 Wholesale Electric Market Design Implementation. (Discussion and possible action)
- 22. Project No. 54444 CY 2023 Reports of the Electric Reliability Council of Texas. (Discussion and possible action)
- 23. Project No. 54445 CY 2023 Review of Rules Adopted by the Independent Organization. (Discussion and possible action) Harika Basaran and Mariah Benson
- 24. Project No. 37344 Information Related to the Entergy Regional State Committee. (Discussion and possible action)
- 25. Project No. 41211 Information Related to the Organization of MISO States. (Discussion and possible action)
- 26. Project No. 41210 Information Related to the Southwest Power Pool Regional State Committee. (Discussion and possible action)
- 27. Discussion and possible action on electric reliability; electric market development; power-to-choose website; ERCOT oversight; transmission planning, construction, and cost recovery; and electric reliability standards and organizations arising under federal law.
- 28. Discussion and possible action regarding implementation of state and federal legislation affecting electricity markets including current and projected rulemakings and other projects, comments to other state and federal agencies and Commission priorities.

### **GENERAL**

- 29. Project No. 54455 CY 2023 Rulemaking Calendar. (Discussion and possible action). David Smeltzer
- 30. Discussion and possible action regarding agency review by Sunset Advisory Commission, operating budget, strategic plan, appropriations request, project assignments, correspondence, staff reports, agency administrative issues, agency organization, fiscal matters, and personnel policy.
- 31. Discussion and possible action regarding customer service issues, including but not limited to correspondence and complaint issues.
- 32. Discussion and possible action on infrastructure reliability, emergency management, and homeland security.

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

33. Adjournment for closed session to consider one or more of the following items:

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- a. Discussions with its attorneys regarding contemplated litigation, settlement offers, pending litigation, and other matters as allowed under section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code;
- b. Personnel matters, including the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of the Executive Director, the Deputy Executive Director, the Division Directors or any other public officer or employee of the Commission as allowed under section 551.074 of the Texas Government Code; and
- c. Security matters, including deployment and implementation of security personnel or devices or security audits; including matters under Project No. 24729, as allowed under sections 551.076 and 551.089 of the Texas Government Code;

and reconvening in open session for discussion and decisions on matters considered in closed session.

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